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Islands, Castles & Portable Operations.
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23/07/2007: R-Quad team (RK3FA, RV1AC, RV2FW/1, RW3DO, RZ3FA, UA6BGB, RA3CW, RA4HNB, RA4HTX, RK1AM, Svetlana RK3FA/XYL and Valery (R-Quad callsign)), will be active as RI1CA from Kotlin Island (EU-133, RRA RR-01-06, RDA SP-09) in the RSGB IOTA contest (July 28-29th using CW, SSB bands: 10, 15, 20, 40, 80 m), before the contest - RK1B/p (July 23-28th). QSLs via RK3FA. [Tnx RK3FA]

26/07/2007: Look for BO0K to be active from KinMen Island [Quemoy Island] (AS-102), July 26-30. The team plans to be QRV on 80, 40, 20, 15 and 10 metres using CW and SSB. QSL via BV2KI. [Tnx IOTW]

26/07/2007: Andy, DA0T/p, will be QRV July 26-29th from Neuwerk Island (EU-127, N-12 for the German Islands Award, WLOTA LH-2311), IOTA contest included. Look for activity on all HF bands. QSL via home call (Andreas Kuelper, Curslacker Deich 362, D-21039 Hamburg, Germany). [Tnx RSGB IOTA]

26/07/2007: Look for Antoine, F5RAB/p to be active July 26-29th from Ile de Re (EU-032, DIFM AT-022, WLOTA LH-1407), RSGB IOTA Contest included. QSL via home call, direct (QRZ.com) or by the bureau. [Tnx RSGB IOTA]

26/07/2007: Operators Jean-Jacques/ON7EQ, Roland/ON5QK and S?bastien/ON3EQ will be QRV July 26-29th as F/OT3T from the ?le-de-Batz (EU-105, DIFM MA-018) for the RSGB IOTA Contest (July 28-29th). Outside of the contest they will activate the ?le-de-Batz lighthouse (DPLF 094, ARLHS FRA-071, WLOTA LH-0680). Activity will be on all bands, SSB only. QSL via ON7EQ, direct or by the bureau. [Tnx RSGB IOTA]

26/07/2007: Operators Colin/G3VCQ, Steve/M1ERS, Trevor/2E0TWS, Sharon/M3VCQ and others plan to be QRV July 26 to August 2 from the island of Arran (IOSA CL-01, SCOTIA CS-14), Clyde Islands (EU-123), using the call sign GS3RCM. They will also participate in the RSGB IOTA Contest (July 28-29th) using the call MM3M. The group also intends to activate the island of Pladda (IOSA CL-07, SCOTIA CS-12), Clyde Islands (EU-123) again, if possible. QSL both calls via G3VCQ, direct or bureau. [Tnx RSGB IOTA]

26/07/2007: Radio Club of Honduras members Henry/HR2H, Tony/HR2DX, Pedro/HR2PAC and Dan/HR2DMR will be active as HQ3C from Cochinos Cays [Cayo Mayor] (NA-160), Honduras, July 26-30th on all bands and modes. They will also participate in the RSGB IOTA Contest (July 28-29th). QSL via HR2RCH, direct preferred but bureau ok. [Tnx NG3K]

26/07/2007: A group of OM/YL German operators will active from Proti Island (EU-158, MIA MG-092) between July 26-31st. Their activity will also include the upcoming RSGB IOTA Contest. Look for the OM operators Olaf/DJ7TO, Uwe/DK3WW, Frank/DK7AO, Michael/DL6MHW, Holger/DL7AU and Holger/DL7IO to be active as J48IO. They plan to run 2 stations simultaneously from 160-10 metres. Each station has its own generator and antenna setup for 160-10 metres. The YL operators Katrin/DL1AXL, Andrea/DL3ABL and Birgit/DL7IQ will be active as J48YL. Activity will also include the RSGB IOTA Contest on all bands and modes. QSL route for both callsigns are DK7AO. Bureau QSL cards are preferred. An E-mail bureau request is also OK via: dl7io-at-qsl.net [Tnx DL7IO]

26/07/2007: Tom/K4ZGB and Allan/KV4T will be active as homecall/p from Dauphin Island (NA-213, USi AL-002S, WW Loc. EM50WG) July 16-30th, RSGB IOTA Contest included. Look for activity on

all bands. QSL via home calls. [Tnx USi]

26/07/2007: George/SV1QN and Giannis/SV1GYG will be active as SV1QN/8 and SV1GYG/8 from Samos Island (EU-049, MIA MG-099, WLOTA LH-4163) from July 26th to August 4th. They will operate CW, SSB, RTTY and PSK31 on 160-10 metres, and will participate in the IOTA Contest. QSL via home calls. [Tnx 425 DX News]

26/07/2007: A group of Russian operators will participate in the IOTA Contest as RI1AA from Bolshoy Berezovyy Island (EU-133, RRA RR-01-02, RDA LO-24). Before the contest they will be active as UE1CBB. QSL for both stations via UA1AIR, direct or bureau. [Tnx 425 DX News]

26/07/2007: Operators UR0GK, UR3GO, UR4QTP, UR8QM, US3QQ, UT7CL and UT7GX will participate in the IOTA Contest as UW0G from the Kalanchakskiye Islands (EU-179, BS-08 for the Ukrainian Islands Award), Kherson Region (Oblast HE). Before the contest they will be signing homecall/p. QSL via operator's instructions. [Tnx 425 DX News]

26/07/2007: Heinz, VA7AQ/p plans to be QRV from Quadra Island (NA-091, BC-006 for the Canadian Islands Award, WW Loc. CO70JB) between July 26th and August 1st. Activity will be on all bands, SSB only, plus an entry in the RSGB IOTA Contest. QSL via home call, direct or by the bureau. [Tnx RSGB IOTA]

26/07/2007: Dana, VE1VOX will be active July 26-29th as VE1OTA/VE9 from the island of Grand Manan (NA-014, NB-003 for the Canadian Islands Award) and Swallowtail lighthouse (ARLHS CAN-491, WLOTA LH-0082). Bands will be 40, 20 and 15 metres. QSL direct to VE1VOX (QRZ.com). [Tnx VE1VOX]

26/07/2007: The 4M5DXgroup will take part in the RSGB IOTA contest (July 28-29th) from Cayo Sombrero (SA-089), Morrocoy National Park, Falc?n State, Venezuela, using the call sign YW1DX. The category will be Multi OP Mixed HP in the dxpedition category. The team is composed of: Olli/YV5WW (OH0XX) and Greg/YV5OHW operating CW, with Julio/YV1RDX, Jose Manuel/YV5TX and Alex/YV5SSB operating SSB. They hope to be on the island July 26th in order to install all the set up and activate the island in WARC bands, until the contest starts, after the contest they hope to be QRV Sunday as well in WARC bands. Further information can be found at: www.yw1dx.4m5dx.org/ [Tnx YV5SSB]

27/07/2007: Operators Pete/W2GJ (C6APR), Ed/K3IXD (C6AXD) and Randy/K4QO (C6AQO) will be QRV July 27-30th from Crooked Island, South Bahamas Group (NA-113). They will be on before and after the IOTA contest on the WARC bands plus 6m, using CW, SSB and RTTY. Outside of the contest look for Ed, C6AXD and Randy, C6AQO. During the RSGB IOTA Contest the will use the call sign C6APR. These QSOs are also good for Bird Rock Lighthouse (ARLHS BAH-005, TWLHD WLH C6-002, WLOTA LH-0118 , WW Loc. FL22TU). QSL for all calls is via K3IXD, direct (Ed Steeble, 202 Huntington Rd., Summerville SC 29483 USA) or by the bureau. [Tnx RSGB IOTA]

27/07/2007: Pedro, EA1FCH will operate as CU2/EA1FCH from Ilha de S?o Miquel (EU-003, DIP AZ-002, WLOTA LH-2016), Azores, from July 27th to August 5th. He plans to concentrate on the low and WARC bands CW and digital modes. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [Tnx 425 DX News]

27/07/2007: Dale/BA4TB, Jiang/BG4TBC, Dai/BG4TBJ, Mi/BG4TQX and Yun/BG1LKK will be active as homecall/4 from Chongming Island (AS-136) July 27-30th, IOTA Contest included. They plan to operate CW, SSB and RTTY on 80-6 metres. QSL via home calls. [Tnx 425 DX News]

27/07/2007: Look for Matt, KM5VI and Bill, N5LYG to be active from North Padre Island (NA-092, USi TX-006S) July 27-30th, RSGB IOTA Contest included. [Tnx 425 DX News]

27/07/2007: Dennis, M0LSB will be QRV July 27-29th as MM0LSB/p from Great Bernera (IOSA OH-12, SCOTIA HI-27), Outer Hebrides (EU-010). Activity will be on 80-10 metre SSB, using low power, IOTA contest included. QSL via home call. [Tnx RSGB IOTA]

27/07/2007: Look for Jon, M0OVL, to be QRV July 27-29th as MM0OVL/p from the island of Mull (IOSA NH-15, SCOTIA CN-10). Activity is planned for 80-10 metre SSB, IOTA contest included.

QSL via M0OVL, RSGB bureau preferred. Further information at www.2e0ovl.com/iota.html [Tnx RSGB ITOA]

27/07/2007: Operators Jarmo/OH7JR, Pasi/OH6UM, Mika/OH2JA and Jouko/OH1RX will be active July 27-29th as OH2U/5 from Kuorsalo Island (EU-140), IOTA Contest included. QSL via OH2IW, direct (QRZ.com) or by the bureau. [Tnx RSGB IOTA]

27/07/2007: Victor, UA6AF will be QRV July 27-30th as homecall/p from Sudzhuk Island (EU-185, RRA RR-24-02), located in RDA District KR-07 (Centralny, Novorossisk District), Krasnodarsky Kraj (KR). Activity will be on all bands 10-80m, with an emphasis on the RSGB IOTA Contest (July 28-29th). QSL via home call. [Tnx RSGB IOTA]

27/07/2007: Claude/VE2FK and Jean-Pierre/VA2SG will be active as VE2FK from Ile-aux-Coudres (NA-128, CIsA QC-009) from July 27-29th, IOTA contest included. Activity will be on 80, 40 and 20m CW only. If the propagation and weather is good they might stay one more day to operate some RTTY. QSL direct to VA2SG. North america stations: send 1 SASE with 1 green stamp to VA2SG, info at QRZ.com. Others: send 1 SASE with 2 green stamps to VA2SG, info at QRZ.com. Further information can be found at www.qsl.net/va2sg/_sgt/m1m2s3_1.htm [Tnx RSGB IOTA]

27/07/2007: Look for Terry, W6WTG to be signing W6I from Anacapa Island (NA-144, USi CA-002S, WLOTA LH-1300, WW Loc. DM04HA, Ventura County), California, July 27-29th, RSGB IOTA contest included. He will be running battery power with a IC-7000 and will be QRV on 20 metres. QSL via home call. [Tnx W6WTG]

28/07/2007: Look for Scout station 3Z100S to participate in the IOTA Contest (July 28-29th) from Wolin Island (EU-132). The second Polish national Scout station, HF100S, will be active from Wolin Island as well, but only on August 1st. QSL 3Z100S via SP6ZDA (see QRZ.com), QSL HF100S via operator's instructions. [Tnx 425 DX News]

28/07/2007: The Holyland DX Group, Mark/4Z4KX, Ros/4Z5LA, Yuli/4X6HP, Reuven/4Z5FI and Jan/4X1VF will be active as 4X7AZ from Akhziv Island (AS-100, MIA MIR-001, Holyland area H-03-AK) between 0700 UTC July 28th and 1200 UTC July 29th. Activity will be on 80-10 metres using CW and SSB. They will run two stations on the air. 4X7AZ will participate in the IOTA Contest as well. QSL via 4Z5LA. Further information, including log search can be found at: www.4z5la.net/4x7az/ [Tnx NG3K]

28/07/2007: The Nicosia Amateur Radio Club, 5B4NC will operate from Agios Georgios [aka Kakoskaliou] (AS-120, MIA MCI-001) during the RSGB IOTA Contest (July 28-29th). No QSL information at this time. [Tnx IOTW]

28/07/2007: Operators Miko/9A4ML, Ivica/9A2HW, and Igor/9A4CD will be active as 9A9Z/p from Pasman Island (EU-170, IOCA CI-085, CIA-34, ACIA IC-348) during the RSGB IOTA Contest. QSL via 9A1ADE, bureau preferred. [Tnx NG3K]

28/07/2007: Rafal, SQ5FWR will be active as 9A/SQ5FWR from Losinj Island (EU-136, ACIA IC-116, CIA-25, IOCA CI-048, MIA MC-204) during the RSGB IOTA Contest. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [Tnx NG3K]

28/07/2007: Look for operators Bill/BV8BC, Bob/BV8BQ, Cheng/BX8AAA, Chan/BX8AD, Max/BX8AE, and Ryan/BX8AG to be QRV as BV9G during the RSGB IOTA Contest from [Lu Tao] Green Island (AS-155, WLOTA LH-0495). QSL via BV8BC. [Tnx NG3K]

28/07/2007: Ann, WA1S will QRV from Ilha de Sao Miguel (AZ-002 for the Portuguese Islands Award, WLOTA LH-2016), Azores (EU-003) as CU2/WA1S from July 28th to August 9th. QSL via home call. [Tnx 425 DX News]

28/07/2007: CT1EPV, CT3MD, CU2HJA, DJ2VO and HB9CRV/CT3FN will participate in the IOTA Contest (July 28-29) as CU8T from the Albarnaz lighthouse (DFP FAZ-02, ARLHS AZO-016, TWLHD WLH CU-008, WLOTA LH-0947, WW Loc. HM49JM) on Flores Island (EU-089, DIP AZ-008), Azores. Outside the contest they will operate on 6-80 metres CW, SSB, RTTY and PSK31. QSL via CT1GFK, direct or bureau. [Tnx 425 DX News]

28/07/2007: Peter, DF6QC/p will be active from Helgoland Island (EU-127, N-14 for the German Islands Award, WLOTA LH-0518) during the RSGB IOTA Contest (July 28-29th) as a Single-Op/SSB/12H entry. QSL via DF6QC by the bureau. [Tnx OPDX]

28/07/2007: Manfred, DF7FC will be active as homecall/p from Langeness Island (EU-042, N-19 for the German Islands Award) during the RSGB IOTA Contest. He will be operating SSB only, with 100 watts. QSL via home call, bureau preferred. [Tnx NG3K]

28/07/2007: Some members of Clubstation des OV K?nigs Wusterhausen DL0KWH will be active during the RSGB IOTA Contest as DL0KWH/p from Usedom Island (EU-129, 0-13 for the German Islands Award). They will be QRV as a Multi-Op CW and SSB team. QSL via DL0KWH, bureau preferred. [Tnx NG3K]

28/07/2007: Jo, DL5AUA/p will be QRV from Neuwerk Island (EU-127, N-12 for the German Islands Award, ARLHS FED-165, TWLHD WLH DL-019, WLOTA LH-2311) during the RSGB IOTA Contest. QSL via home call. [Tnx NG3K]

28/07/2007: Joachim, DL5KUD plans to be active from Ruegen Island (EU-057, O-07 for the German Islands Award) during the RSGB IOTA Contest. QSL via DL5KUD, bureau preferred. [Tnx NG3K]

28/07/2007: Holger, DL5XAT/p will be QRV from Fehmarn Island (EU-128, O-01 for the German Islands Award) during the RSGB IOTA Contest. QSL via home call. [Tnx NG3K]

28/07/2007: A team of operators will activate the call sign DR6IOTA during the RSGB IOTA Contest from Usedom Island (EU-129, 0-13 for the German Islands Award). QSL via DM5DX. [Tnx NG3K]

28/07/2007: Champ, E21EIC, will be active as E21EIC/P from Samui Island (AS-101, WLOTA LH-1384) during the RSGB IOTA Contest (July 28-29th) as a Single-Op/24 Hrs entry. He will be active on the island between July 27-29th. JA stations QSL via JR5XPG; all others via E21EIC. [Tnx OPDX]

28/07/2007: Pepe, EA5KB and others will participate in the IOTA Contest (July 28-29th) as EE5KB from Tabarca Island (EU-093, E-006 for the Spanish Islands Award, WLOTA LH-1779). QSL via EA5KB. [Tnx 425 DX News]

28/07/2007: Dez, G0DEZ will be active as EI9JQ during the RSGB IOTA Contest from Ireland (EU-115). He will be QRV on 80-10m, low power. QSL via G0DEZ. [Tnx NG3K]

28/07/2007: Operators ES1AN, ES1LS, ES1QV, ES2EZ, ES2DJ, ES2NJ and ES2QN will be active as ES2U from the Island of Rammu (EU-149) during the RSGB IOTA Contest (July 28-29th). QSL via the Bureau. [Tnx OPDX]

28/07/2007: Operators Kevin/G6FOP, Avril/2E0KOP, Ray/G4FON, Colin/M0DDT, Richard/G3ZGC and Dave/G3KLH will be active as G7N during the RSGB IOTA Contest from the Isle of Wight (EU-120, WLOTA LH-2985). QSL via G6FOP (Kevin Martin, 79 Lower Way Thatcham, RG19 3RS England), Eqsl preferred. [Tnx RSGB IOTA]

28/07/2007: The Wirral and District Amateur Radio Club have been granted permission to stay on Hilbre Island (EU-120, WAB SJ18) over the weekend of July 28-29th to take part in the RSGB IOTA Contest using the call sign GB2HI. This activity will also count for the Hilbre Island (Merseyside) lighthouse (BARLS A5115, ARLHS ENG-223, TWLHD WLH G-010). Some of the operators, weather permitting will activate Little Eye, Little Hilbre and the Rocks on July 29th, QRP only stations. Web cams will be running at: www.wadarc.com/ [Tnx G4WUA]

28/07/2007: Operators Allan/GM3OZB, Barry/GM3YEH, Steve/GM4OSS, John/GM0DJG and Gordon/MM0BIM will be active as GI3YS from Rathlin Island (EU-122, WLOTA LH-0283) during the RSGB IOTA Contest. QSL via bureau to MM0DHQ. [Tnx RSGB IOTA]

28/07/2007: Operators Doug/GM0ELP, Tom/MM0BHX, Gordon/MM0GPZ, Phil/GM0LIR, Iain/GM0OQV and John/GM0NBM will be active from the Isle of Bute (IOSA CL-02, SCOTIA CS-19), Clyde Islands (EU-123) as GM0B during the RSGB IOTA Contest (July 28-29th). Activity is planned for 80-10

metre CW and SSB. QSL via MM0BHX (QRZ.com). Further information can be found at ijmcglynn.pwp.blueyonder.co.uk/gm0b.html [Tnx RSGB IOTA]

28/07/2007: The Cockenzie and Port Seton Amateur Radio Club will be active as GM2T during the RSGB IOTA Contest from the Isle of Tiree (IOTA EU-008, IOSA NH04, SCOTIA DI10, WAB NM04, WLOTA LH-2232), the most westerly of Scotland's Inner Hebridean Islands. Pre contest activity will be as MM0CPS/P. This years team consists of: Cambell/MM0DXC, Bob/GM4UYZ, John/MM0JXI, Brian/M0RNR, John/MM0CCC, Landles/GM4XZZ, Willie/MM0WZZ, Iain/MM1CPP, Gary/MM0FZV, Gareth/M3INO, Derek/MM0WST, Colin/2M0CRR, Moe/MM0MRM, Geoff/MM5AHO, Ellis/GM4GZW and Innes/GM4VJV. QSL route to GM2T via the Bureau, or our QSL Manager GM4UYZ, bureau or direct. [Tnx Pete's-DX-Newsdesk]

28/07/2007: MM0DFV, GM0WRR, GM4TOQ, MM0GDL, GM7WED, GM0VIQ, MM3LKV and possibly others will be active from the Isle of Islay in the Inner Hebrides (EU-008, IOSA NH-22, SCOTIA CS-25), July 28-29th. Two different callsigns (GM2Z and GM4A) will be used during the IOTA Contest, while a separate PSK station will operate as MS0EPC. QSLs via MM0DFV. [Tnx 425 DX News]

28/07/2007: Glyn/GW0ANA, Jan/DJ8NK, Thomas/DJ6OI and Richard/G3RWL will be QRV as GW8K from Flatholm Island (EU-124, WLOTA LH-0007) during the RSGB IOTA Contest. Outside of the contest they will sign GB5FI. QSL both calls via GW0ANA. [Tnx NG3K]

28/07/2007: Look for Carlo, HI3CCP to be active as HI3C from the Dominican Republic (NA-096, WLOTA LH-2274) for the RSGB IOTA Contest. QSL via ON4IQ. [Tnx NG3K]

28/07/2007: Cha, HS8KAY will active from Phuket Island (AS-053, WLOTA LH-0701) during the RSGB IOTA Contest (July 28-29th) as a Single-Op/24-Hrs entry. [Tnx OPDX]

28/07/2007: Oreste, IZ8EDJ and several other operators from the Strange Radio Team will participate in the IOTA Contest as IC8DI from Dino Island (EU-144, IIA CS-002, MIA MI-021). QSL via IK8WEJ. [Tnx F5NQL]

28/07/2007: Operators Luigi/IK8HCG, Salvatore/IK8UND, Mauro/IN3QBR, Walter/IZ8FDG, Walter/IN3XUG, Virgilio/IC8OZM and Paolo/IC8DAK will be active as IC8R during the RSGB IOTA Contest from Procida Island (EU-031, IIA NA-002, MIA MI-080). QSL via IC8OZM. [Tnx NG3K]

28/07/2007: Joe, IT9BLB will be active July 28-29th as IH9/IT9BLB from Pantelleria Island (AF-018, IIA TP-001, MIA MI-124, WLOTA LH-0041), African Italy, for the RSGB IOTA Contest as a Single-Op/All-Band entry. QSL via home call. [Tnx NG3K]

28/07/2007: Max, IK2XYG plans to participate in the IOTA Contest from Maddalena Island (IM0, EU-041, IIA SS-001, MIA MIS-013). Should he be unable to reach the island, he will operate from Sardinia (IS0, EU-024, IIA SD-001, MIA MIS-035, WLOTA LH-1608). QSL via home call. [Tnx 425 DX News]

28/07/2007: Operators SV9ANJ, SV9BMC, SV0LB, SV9DJO, SV9BGE, SV9IOI, SV9GPV and SV9GPR will be active as J49A for the RSGB IOTA Contest (July 28-29th) from Dia Island (EU-187, MIA MGC-006, WLOTA LH-1734, WW Loc. KM25OK). QSL via: Radio Amateur Society of Crete P.O. Box 1390 GR 71110 Heraklion Crete Greece. Website: www.rasc.gr/ [Tnx RSGB IOTA]

28/07/2007: Operators JA6RGJ/6, JK6IIS/6 and JO6RGZ/6 will be active July 28-29th from Kuro Island (AS-012, JIIA AS-012-028), JA6 Nagasaki prefecture, on the HF bands and 6 metres using CW and SSB. QSL to their home calls, direct or via the bureau. [Tnx IOTW]

28/07/2007: Look for Howie, K1VSJ/p to be active from Martha's Vineyard (NA-046, USi MA-005S, Dukes County, WLOTA:2804), Massachusetts, during the RSGB IOTA Contest. QSL via home call. [Tnx NG3K]

28/07/2007: Dan/KD8DFD and friend Renice/KD8DWU will attemp to qualfy Duck island (USi MD-030, Washington County), Maryland, for the first time, July 28th. They will be QRV on 20 and 40m, mostly SSB, plus 2m. QSL via USi eQSL or callbook address. [Tnx USi]

28/07/2007: Yogi, DB5YB will be active as LA/DB5YB from Stord Island (EU-055) from July 28th to August 9th. He plans to operate holiday style on 10-20 metres SSB. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [Tnx 425 DX News]

28/07/2007: Chris, OE9ICI will be active as LA/OE9ICI from Hitra Island (EU-036) for the RSGB IOTA Contest (July 28-29th). QRV 80/40/20m SSB, with 100 watts. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [Tnx NG3K]

28/07/2007: Colin/MM0NDX and Ian/GM1RIG will participate in the IOTA Contest signing MM0NDX/P from Kerrera Island (EU-008, IOSA FL-02, SCOTIA CN-02). QSL via home call, direct only. [Tnx 425 DX News]

28/07/2007: Operators Ron/W9QGB, Wilson/W7GAM and other members of the St. Augustine Amateur Radio Society will be active during the RSGB IOTA Contest (July 28-29th) as N4AUG from Talbot Island (NA-138, USi FL-121S, Duval County), Florida. QSL information: SAARS (N4AUG), P.O. Box 860084, St. Augustine, Fl. 32086. [Tnx RSGB IOTA]

28/07/2007: Scott, NE1RD will be active as NE1RD/1 during the RSGB IOTA Contest from Lovells Island (NA-148, USi New One!, Norfolk County), Massachusetts. This will be a QRP operation using battery/solar power, during the first 12 hours of the Contest. QSL via home call (QRZ.com). [Tnx RSGB IOTA]

28/07/2007: Julio, NP3CW will be QRV from Puerto Rico (NA-099, WLOTA LH-2802) during the RSGB IOTA Contest (July 28-29th). QSL via QRZ.com. [Tnx NG3K]

28/07/2007: Steve/NY3A and friend John/N3DRA are planning on qualifying James Island (NA-140, USi MD-011, Dorchester County), Maryland during the IOTA contest, using the call NY3A. Activity will be on 80-10m. QSL via NY3A. [Tnx USi]

28/07/2007: OH7JR, OH6UM, OH2JA and OH1RX will participate in the IOTA Contest as OH2U/5 from Kuorsalo Island (EU-140). Some limited activity might start on the Friday evening before the contest. QSL via OH2IW. [Tnx 425 DX News]

28/07/2007: Joe, OZ7BQ reports that he will participate in the IOTA Contest as OZ7BQ/P from Fur Island (EU-171, NJ-003 for the Danish Islands Award). Most likely it will be a QRP CW operation. QSL via home call. Logs will be uploaded to LoTW. [Tnx 425 DX News]

28/07/2007: Operators Hans/ON4ASG, Dan/ON4ON, Harvey/ON5SY, Dries/ON6CX, Pat/ON7PQ and Jean-Marie/ON7XT will be active as PA/OQ1C/p during the RSGB IOTA Contest from Schouwen Duiveland (EU-146). QSL via ON4ON. [Tnx NG3K]

28/07/2007: Operators Henk/PA0HFT, Leo/PA0LMD, Ben/PA0IBF, Hans/PA0WYS, Lex/PA3CDM and Gert/PA5TS will be active as PA0HFT during the RSGB IOTA Contest (July 28-29th) from Terschelling Island (EU-038, WLOTA LH-0943). QSL via PA0HFT, direct or by the bureau. [Tnx RSGB IOTA]

28/07/2007: Look for Hans/PA1BX, Jochen/DH5HV, Joe/ON4JZ, Andre/ON4PH, Jim/ON5UM, Luc/ON6LUQ, Geert/ON7GF, Francis/ON4CFQ + others to be active as PA1BX/p during the RSGB IOTA Contest from Schouwen Duiveland (EU-146). QSL via PA1BX. [Tnx NG3K]

28/07/2007: Look for JanJaap/PG7V and Jack/PD2J to be active as PC6IOTA from Texel Island (EU-038, WLOTA LH-0043 from July 24th to August 1st, RSGB IOTA Contest included as a low power entry. QSL will be sent automatically via the bureau to all contacts made. Further info at: www.pc6iota.net/ [Tnx NG3K]

28/07/2007: Operators Will/PE1OPM, Manfred/PE1OXV and Jeroen/NL12339 will be QRV for the third time from Schouwen Duiveland (EU-146), using the call sign PE1OPM/p, during the RSGB IOTA Contest (July 28-29th). They plan to be active on 80-10m SSB, outside the contest they will be QRV on 18 and 24 MHz. QSL via PE1OPM (QRZ.com). [Tnx RSGB IOTA]

28/07/2007: Bone, PP5VX will be active during the RSGB IOTA Contest from S?o Francisco Island (SA-027, DIB 08 for the Brazilian Islands Award). QSL via the address at QRZ.com. [Tnx NG3K]

28/07/2007: RW3WW, RA3WOK, R3W-128, RL3WX, RA3WKJ and a group of climbers from the Kursk State Technical University will conduct an expedition to the mountains of the Elbrus region between July 28th and August 11th. They will operate on 20 and 40 metres SSB as R6SE, RW3WW/6 and RL3WX/6. On 8-10 August they will be climbing the Mount Elbrus itself. QSL via R6SE via RW3WWW, others via home calls, direct or bureau. [Tnx 425 DX News]

28/07/2007: Eric, SM1TDE will participate in the IOTA Contest as SA1A from Gotland Island (EU-020, WLOTA LH-2969). He will operate CW only. QSL via home call. [Tnx 425 DX News]

28/07/2007: Giovanni, IW7DOL reports that he will be active as SV8/IW7DOL from Kerkyra Island [aka Corfu] (EU-052, MIA MG-055, WLOTA LH-4132) July 28th to August 2nd. QSL via home call. [Tnx 425 DX News]

28/07/2007: Fabrizio, IK5WOB will operate CW only as TK/IK5WOB from Algaiola, Corsica (EU-014, DIFM TK-001, MIA MCO-001, WLOTA LH-1390) between July 28th and August 11th. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [Tnx 425 DX News]

28/07/2007: From July 28th to August 4th, look for Manu/F5NCU and G?rard/F6EHJ to be active under the special French call sign TM7BA, from Batz Island (EU-105, DIFM-018, DPLF PB-094, WLOTA LH-0680), French Brittany. Manu will be mainly on CW and G?rard on SSB. They will enter the IOTA contest. Pericontest activities will be on all bands HF, 80-10m CW and SSB (No digit activity). QSL via F5NCU, direct or via bureau. [Tnx F5NQL]

28/07/2007: Sam/UT9FJ, Alex/UR5FEL and Petro/UR5FCZ will be active as homecall/p for the RSGB IOTA Contest from Berezan Island (EU-179, BS-02 for the Ukrainian Islands Award) and lighthouse (ARLHS UKR-035). QSL via home calls. [Tnx NG3K]

28/07/2007: Manfried, VA3RMF/W1 plans to activate Bailey Island (NA-137, USi ME-022S, Cumberland County), Maine, during the RSGB IOTA Contest. He will also try to activate Orr's Island (USi ME-038S) before and after the IOTA contest. Activity will be on 80, 40 and 20 metres. QSL via home call. [Tnx USI]

28/07/2007: Fred, ON6QR, will be active as VO1/ON6QR from Newfoundland Island (NA-027, CIsA NF-001) during the RSGB IOTA Contest (July 28-29th). He plans to run QRP using a small antenna. QSL via ON6QR by the bureau. [Tnx OPDX]

28/07/2007: Operators VO1AU, VO1JNS, VO1KVT, VO1MX and VO1TA will be active as VO1J from Fogo Island (NA-198, CIsA NF-005) during the RSGB IOTA Contest (July 28-29th). QSL via VO1AU. [Tnx OPDX]

28/07/2007: Operators Steve/W3RFA and Bob/KB3NYX will activate South Marsh Island (NA-140, USi MD-009, Somerset county), Maryland, during the RSGB IOTA Contest (July 28-29th). This is a Micro-DXpedition via sea kayak for the IOTA contest. Total equipment weight is limited to 100 lbs. each. They will have to cross 4 miles of open water and set up camp in a marsh. Maybe QRP but not sure yet. QSL via W3RFA (QRZ.com). [Tnx RSGB IOTA]

28/07/2007: Alfredo, WP3C, will be active from Puerto Rico (NA-099, WLOTA LH-2802) as WP4I during the RSGB IOTA Contest (July 28-29th) as a Single-Op/Low-Power/SSB-only/24 HRs entry. QSL via W3HNK. [Tnx OPDX]

28/07/2007: Adhi, YB3MM will be QRV from Lombok Island (OC-150, WLOTA LH-2637) as YB3MM/9 during the RSGB IOTA Contest, using CW and SSB on 15 metres only. QSL via IZ8CCW, direct or bureau. Logs will also be uploaded to LotW. [Tnx NG3K]

29/07/2007: Operators Franck/FM0IR, Thierry/FM0JR, Yvon/FM0JZ, Eric/FM1HM, Christian/FM1II, FM1KM and Tijus/FM1HN will be active from the island of Martinique (NA-107, DIFO FM-001, WLOTA LH-1041) using the special call sign TO1YR from July 29th to August 5th during the turn of the Round Skiffs of Martinique. Activity will be on 80-2 metres using SSB, RTTY and PSK. QSL via FM1HN. [Tnx OPDX]

29/07/2007: Operators Eric/KD4MZM, Bob/KF4JRO, Bill/W2IL and Bill/WB4TJH will be active as W4IE on July 29th (1500-2100 UTC) from Longboat Key (NA-034, USi FL-053S, WW Loc. EL87QJ, Sarasota County), Florida. They will be QRV 40-10m using CW, SSB and some PSK-31. QSL via W4IE (see QRZ.com). [Tnx RSGB IOTA]

30/07/2007: Six members of the Japan Amateur Radio League (JARL) Kyoto Club, will stage a DX-pedition to the Federated Stetes of Micronesia (FSM) this summer. This is one of the events celebrating their club's 60th anniversary. They will be active from The South Park Hotel, Pohnpei (OC-010, WW Loc. QJ96CX) between July 30th and August 5th, on 160-6 metres using SSB, FM, CW, RTTY and PSK31. They will come up on appropriate bands/modes depending on the conditions. Operators, calls and QSL routes are as follows: V60YAQ Club Station (via JI6DUE), V60DU Hidenori Nohara (via JI6DUE), V60IL Masato Sugiura (via JF3PLF), V63JJ Kazuo Ebihara (via JA3ART), V6OKL Kenji Kawamura (via JN3JBC), V60TI Tetsuya Iwamoto (via JA3UWB) and V60TX Shozo Yamamoto (via JH3TXR). QSLs are accepted direct or via the bureau. Further information can be found at: www.ja3yaq.ampr.org/v6/ [Tnx Japan DX News]

30/07/2007: Jorge, EA8TL will be portable /EA6 from his mobile between July 31st to August 24th as he visits Ibiza Island (EU-004, DIE E-023, MIA MB-003, WLOTA LH-0958) and Formentera Island (EU-004, DIE E-024, MIA MB-002, WLOTA LH-1148) this summer. Using an ICOM 706 MKIIG (100w HF and 50w VHF) Transceiver, look for Jorge to be active on 80, 40, 20, 17, 15, 12, 10 and 2 metre SSB. Antennas are: Eco Veicolare (monobands). [Tnx OPDX]

30/07/2007: Tom/DL2RMC and Heiko/DL1RTL will be active holiday style as TK/homecall from the island of Corsica (EU-014, DIFM TK-001, MIA MCO-001, WLOTA LH-1390) between July 30th and August 8th. Planned activity will be on 160-6m using SSB, CW and digital modes. There is the possibility that they might activate IOTA EU-164. QSL via home calls, direct or bureau. [Tnx NG3K]

01/08/2007: Leonardo, IW0QO will be active holiday style as 9A/IW0QO from Losinj Island (EU-136, CIA-25, ACIA IC-116, IOCA CI-058, MIA MC-204), August 1-10th. He plans to operate on 10, 15, 20, 40 and 80 metres. QSL via home call, direct (to IW0QO, c/o Sezione A.R.I. di Perugia, P.O. Box 113, 06100 Perugia - PG, Italy) or bureau. [Tnx 425 DX News]

01/08/2007: Tano, IZ8GCB will be operating as IS0/IZ8GCB from the island of Sardinia (EU-024, IIA SD-001, MIA MIS-035, WLOTA LH-1608) between August 1st and 19th. Look for activity on 40, 20, 15 and 10 metre CW and SSB. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [Tnx NG3K]

02/08/2007: Jorge/CT1FMX, Mary/CT1YTS and J. Vitor/CU3EQ will be active as CU3F from Terceira Island (EU-175, AZ-003 for the Portuguese Islands Award, WLOTA LH-0524, WW Loc. HM68KP), Azores, August 2-9th. They plan to operate SSB, CW, PSK31 and RTTY on 80-6 metres. QSL via CT1FMX, direct or bureau. [Tnx 425 DX News]

02/08/2007: Lanny, W5BOS will be active August 2-7th from 2 islands in the State of Alaska. The first will be a new one, Semidi Islands (NA-235/Pr) using W5BOS/KL7. This operation will be battery power only. The second operation will be from Unavikshak Island (NA-238, USi AK-193S) using W5BOS/AL0. This island was activated last year but conditions were very poor and Lanny wants to give the guys that missed it another chance. QSL via N6AWD. This will be my final operations from Alaska [Tnx W5BOS]

Be sure to check Bill's (NG3K) web site for updated IOTA Contest activity at: ng3k.com/Misc/iota2007.html

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LOOKING AHEAD

11/08/2007: Operators Cory/N1URA, Beckie/KB1IRZ, Bob/W1IF, Joe/W1SK and Steven/W1ZW will be active August 11-12th as N1URA from Seguin Island (NA-137, USi New One!, Sagadahoc County), Maine, and lighthouse (ARLHS USA-746, TWLHD WLH K-148, WLOTA LH-0719, WW Loc. FN53CQ). This will be a QRP operation with CW stations at 5 watts and SSB stations at 10 watts. APRS call sign will be N1URA-LH. QSL direct to N1URA with SASE Number 10 Size Envelope to 63 Jordan Bridge Rd, Sabattus, Maine 04280-4200. [Tnx RSGB IOTA]

25/08/2007: Giuseppe, IK5WWA will spend a holiday on Solta island (EU-016, ACIA IC-656, CIA-51, IOCA CI-126, MIA MC-389), from August 25th to September 1st. He plans to be active as 9A/IK5WWA from there and from some of islands west of Solta island. His activities will be on all HF (not on 160m) with dipole and vertical antenna. QSL via home call. [Tnx 9A6AA]

21/10/2007: The Wirral and District Amateur Radio Club will be active as GB2JAM for the 2007 JOTA (Jamboree on the Air), October 21-22nd. Look for activity on all bands. QSL via G4MGR, direct or bureau. [Tnx WADARC]

27/10/2007: Scott, W4PA plans to be active from the island of Aruba (SA-036, WLOTA LH-0033) as P40PA during the CQWW DX SSB Contest (October 27-28th), as a Single-Operator/All-Band/High-Power entry. Note that the P40PA call sign applied for is subject to change. QSL via W4PA. [Tnx NG3K]

24/11/2007: Juha, OH1JT will be active from the Aland Islands (OH0, EU-002), call sign TBA, during the CQWW DX CW Contest (November 24-25th) as a Single-Op/Single-Band (80m or 20m) entry. QSL route to be announced at a later date. [Tnx NG3K]

24/11/2007: Bernd, VK2IA will be active as VK9AA during the CQWW DX CW Contest (November 24-25th) from Cocos (Keeling) Islands (OC-003). operating class TBA. QSL via DL8YR (QRZ.com). [Tnx NG3K]

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LIGHTHOUSE ACTIVATIONS

26/07-29/07 DA0T/P: Neuwerk WLOTA:2311 QSL DA0T (QRZ.com)
26/07-29/07 F5RAB/P: Re Island WLOTA:1407 QSL H/C (d/b)
26/07-30/07 GB5FI: Flatholm Island WLOTA:0007 QSL GW0ANA (d/b)
26/07-31/07 J48IO: Nisis Proti WLOTA:4036 QSL DK7AO (d/b)
26/07-31/07 J48YL: Nisis Proti WLOTA:4036 QSL DK7AO (d/b)
26/07-04/08 SV1GYG/8: Nisos Samos WLOTA:4163 QSL H/C (d/b)
26/07-04/08 SV1QN/8: Nisos Samos WLOTA:4163 QSL H/C (d/b)
26/07-29/07 VE1OTA/VE9: Grand Manan Island WLOTA:0082 QSL H/C (d)
27/07-30/07 C6AQO: Bird Rock ARLHS:BAH-005, WLH C6-002, WLOTA:0118 QSL K3IXD (d/b)
27/07-30/07 C6AXD: Bird Rock ARLHS:BAH-005, WLH C6-002, WLOTA:0118 QSL K3IXD (d/b)
27/07-05/08 CU2/EA1FCH: Ilha de S?o Miquel WLOTA:2016 QSL H/C (d/b)
27/07-29/07 E21EIC/P: Ko Samui WLOTA:1384 QSL H/C (QRZ.com)
27/07-30/07 W2GJ/C6A: Bird Rock ARLHS:BAH-005, WLH C6-002, WLOTA:0118 QSL K3IXD (d/b)
28/07-29/07 BV9G: Lu Tao - Green Island WLOTA:0495 QSL BV8BC (d/b)
28/07-29/07 C6APR: Bird Rock ARLHS:BAH-005, WLH C6-002, WLOTA:0118 QSL K3IXD (d/b)
28/07-09/08 CU2/WA1S: Ilha de Sao Miguel WLOTA:2016 QSL H/C (d/b)
28/07-29/07 CU8T: Albarnaz DFP:FAZ-02, ARLHS:AZO-016, WLH:CU-008, WLOTA:0947 QSL CT1GFK (d/b)
28/07-29/07 DF6QC/P: Helgoland WLOTA:0518 H/C (d/b)
28/07-29/07 DL5AUA/P: Neuwerk WLOTA:2311 QSL H/C (d/b)
28/07-29/07 EE5KB: Isla de Tabarca WLOTA:1779 QSL EA5KB (d/b)
28/07-29/07 F/OT3T: Batz Island DPLF:PB-094, ARLHS:FRA-071, WLOTA:0680 QSL ON7EQ (d/b)
28/07-29/07 G7N: Isle of Wight WLOTA:2985 QSL G6FOP (d/eQSL)
28/07-29/07 GB2HI: Hilbre BARLS:A5115, ARLHS:ENG-223, WLH:G-010 QSL G4MGR (d/b)
28/07-29/07 GI3YS: Rathlin O'Birne Island WLOTA:0283 QSL MM0DHQ (b)
28/07-29/07 GM2T: Tiree WLOTA:2232 QSL GM4UYZ (d/b)
28/07-29/07 GW8K: Flatholm Island WLOTA:0007 QSL GW0ANA (d/b)
28/07-29/07 HI3C: Hispaniola WLOTA:2274 QSL ON4IQ (d/b)
28/07-29/07 HS8KAY/P: Phuket Island WLOTA:0701 QSL H/C (QRZ.com)
28/07-29/07 IB0/OM0C: Isola di Ventotene WLOTA:1403 QSL OM2FY (d/b)
28/07-29/07 IH9/IT9BLB: Isola Pantelleria WLOTA:0041 QSL H/C (d/b)
28/07-29/07 J49A: Nisos Dia WLOTA:1734 QSL SV9ANK (d/b)
28/07-29/07 NP3CW: Puerto Rico Island WLOTA:2802 QSL QRZ.com
28/07-29/07 PA0HFT: Terschelling Island WLOTA:0943 QSL PA0HFT (d/b)
28/07-29/07 SA1A: Gotland WLOTA:2969 QSL SM1TDE (d/b)
28/07-02/08 SV8/IW7DOL: Nisos Kerkyra WLOTA:4132 QSL H/C (d/b)

28/07-02/08 TK/IK5WOB: Corsica Island WLOTA:1390 QSL H/C (d/b)
28/07-04/08 TM7BA: Batz Island DPLF:PB-094, WLOTA:0680 QSL F5NCU (d/b)
28/07-29/07 W6WTG/P: Anacapa Island WLOTA:1300 QSL H/C (d/b)
28/07-29/07 WP4I: Puerto Rico Island WLOTA:2802 QSL W3HNK (d/b)
28/07-29/07 YB3MM/9: Lombok WLOTA:2637 QSL IZ8CCW (d/b)
29/07-05/08 TO1YR: Martinique Island WLOTA:1041 QSL FM1HN (d/b)
30/07-08/08 TK/DL1RTL: Corsica Island WLOTA:1390 QSL H/C (d/b)
30/07-08/08 TK/DL2RMC: Corsica Island WLOTA:1390 QSL H/C (d/b)
31/07-24/08 EA8TL/EA6: Isla de Formentera WLOTA:1148 QSL H/C (d/b)
31/07-24/08 EA8TL/EA6: Isla de Ibiza WLOTA:0958 QSL H/C (d/b)
01/08-19/08 IS0/IZ8GCB: Sardinia WLOTA:1608 QSL H/C (d/b)
02/08-09/08 CU3F: Ilha Terceira WLOTA:0524 QSL CT1FMX (d/b)
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SPECIAL EVENTS

28/07/2007: Special event station II1TS will be active on the HF bands SSB, CW and FSK from Genova July 28-31st for the Tall Ship Races 2007. QSL via IZ1GJK, direct or bureau. Information on the event and the relevant award can be found at: www.assoradiomarinai.tk/ [Tnx 425 DX News]

29/07/2007: The FM Ham Radio Association (FM.HAM.R.A.) will be active (on 80, 40, 20, 17, 15, 12 and 10 metres SSB, RTTY and PSK31, plus 6 and 2 metres) as TO1YR from July 29th to August 5th for the annual Tour des Yoles Rondes de la Martinique. QSL via FM1HN. [Tnx 425 DX News]

31/07/2007: Special event station 8J1ESP will be operated on 40, 20, 15 and 10 metres by PY3DF, JA1FXZ and a group from the International League of Esperantists Radio Amateurs (www.esperanto.org/internacia/ILERA/) between July 31st and August 31st. On 4-12 August activity will take place from the 92nd Esperanto World Conference in Yokohama. QSL via JA1YAR or JA1FXZ, bureau or direct. [Tnx 425 DX News]

01/08/2007: Special event station 8J1A will be aired August 1-26th to celebrate the 2007 Amateur Radio Festival. QSL via the JARL bureau. [Tnx JJ1WTL/AC6IM]

01/08/2007: Special event station 8J3ARDF will be aired August 1st through October 21st to celebrate the All Japan ARDF Athletic Meet. QSL via the JARL bureau. [Tnx JJ1WTL/AC6IM]

01/08/2007: On August 1st a vast network of amateur radio stations around the world will support Scouting's Sunrise into the new Centenary (for further information please visit www.scout.org/en/information_events/events/jota/sunrise_network_1_aug_2007). Wil/PA0WBS, Wim/PA2GON, Dirk/PA3DHR, Kees/PD3MRS and Dominic/PD0LDC, from Scouting Radio Spijkenisse (www.pi9srs.eu/), will participate in this event under the special call sign PA100WSJ (World Scouting Jamboree). They will operate on several bands and modes from 7 UTC through the end of the day. [Tnx 425 DX News]

01/08/2007: The ISWL Club Callsigns in use during August 2007 will be:
GX4BJC /A operated from Towcester, in Northamptonshire, by Phil G4DMS (WAB SP65 NHM).
MX1SWL /A operated from Skegby, Nottinghamshire, by Merv G0UJD (WAB SK56 NOT).
All QSL information is on www.iswl.org.uk or via eQSL.cc NO LOTW! [Tnx Pete's-DX-Newsdesk]

U.S.A. Special events can be found at: www.arrl.org/contests/spev.html
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The following operation is approved for DXCC credit:

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If you had cards rejected for this operation, please send an e-mail to dxcc@arrl.org and you will be placed on the list for update.

Bill Moore NC1L
DXCC Manager
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Sable Island DXpedition 2009 -

Our group is in the early planning stages of a DXpedition to Sable Island (NA-063, NS-004 for the Canadian Islands Award, WLOTA LH-0758), CY0ZZ. Further information is available on our web site: http://www.sabledx.com/

We are currently seeking sponsors to help us cover the large cost of chartering the Britain Norman Islander aircraft which must be used to land on the beach at Sable Island. The cost of this charter alone will be nearly $10,000.

The team consists of Team: Duane/WV2B, Rick/AI5P, Dick/VE1AI and Scott/KA3QLF. We are not currently seeking any more operators.

A minimum of 3 stations is planned for the DXpedition - SSB, CW, RTTY/Aux. We are planning for directional antennas on 30-10 Meters, and Verticals on 40/80/160. A dedicated 6 Meter station is a possibility. We will have at least one Acom amplifier. More details will be available closer to the DXpedition. [Tnx Sable Island Team]
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